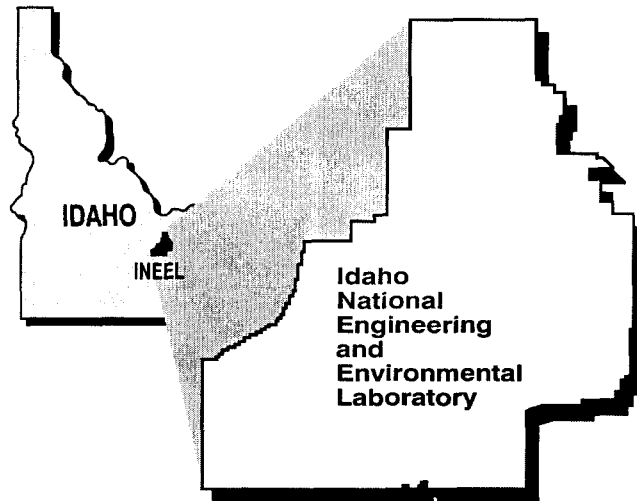


Agencies sign Record of Decision to clean up unexploded ordnance, other sites at INEEL



Moderated Reactor Experiment facility, and at the Juniper Mine site.

Detailed information is available in the Administrative Record file for Operable Unit 10-04 and 6-05. The Administrative Record is located at the DOE Reading Room of the INEEL Technical Library in Idaho Falls. Copies can be found in the Albertsons Library on the Boise State University campus and in the University of Idaho Library in Moscow. The Administrative Record can be accessed on the Internet at <http://ar.inel.gov/home.html>. More information on the EBR-I/BORAX sites is available in a fact sheet available online at: <http://www.inel.gov/publicdocuments/factsheet/01-ga51010-01.pdf>.

Unexploded ordnance, explosive residue and lead contamination at the U.S. Department of Energy's Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory will be cleaned up under a Record of Decision signed by the DOE, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the state of Idaho.

The unexploded ordnance, or UXO, was left from Army and Navy artillery testing, storage bunker and transportation safety testing, and bombing ranges dating to the World War II era.

The remedy selected in the Record of Decision involves cleanup of UXO and applying institutional

controls. A removal and treatment remedy will be applied to five sites where soil is contaminated with TNT and RDX, and to one site, the INEEL Security Training Facility Gun Range, where soil is contaminated with lead fragments.

This Record of Decision also includes institutional controls for seven other sites at the INEEL. These include a leach pond, ditch, reactor building and a buried reactor associated with the Boiling Water Reactor Experiments that operated between 1953 and 1964. Institutional controls will also be used for a fuel oil tank near the Experimental Breeder Reactor-I facility, another leach pond at the former site of the Organic-

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